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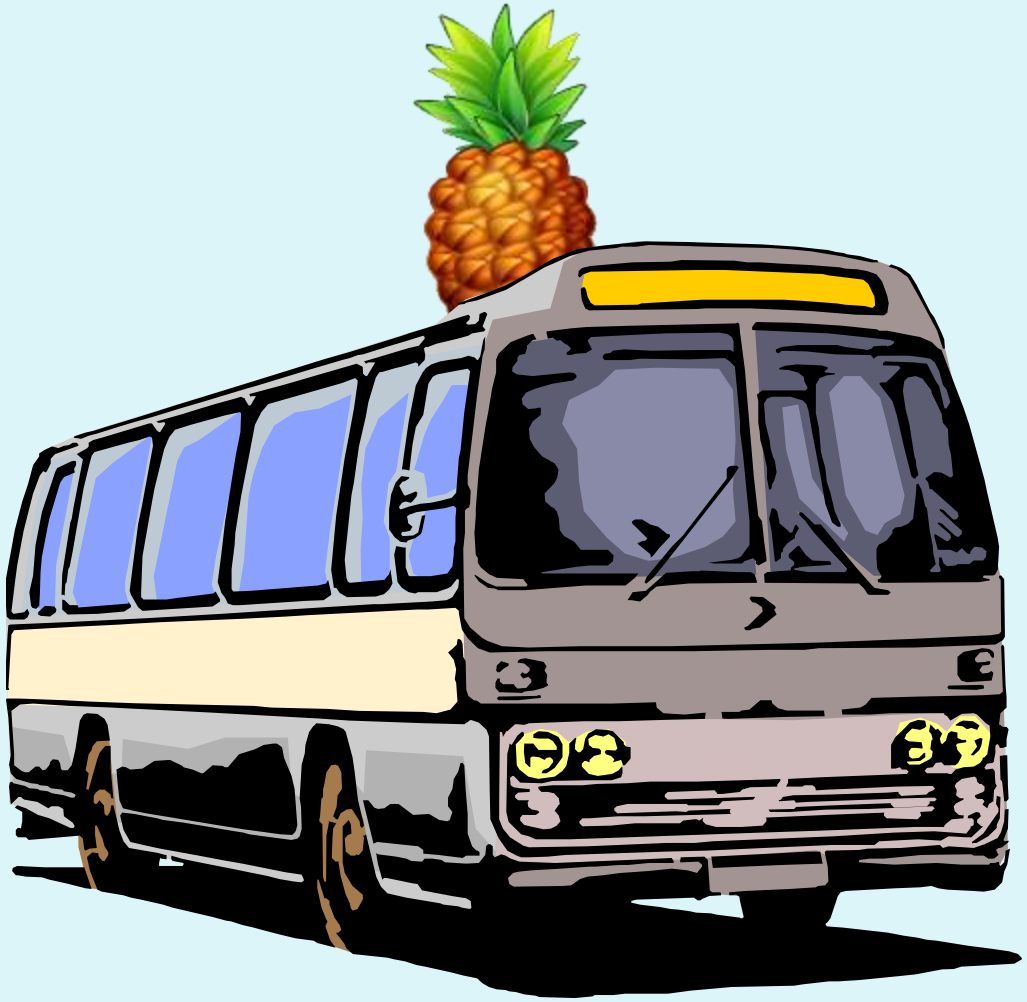

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Provides information and tools for successful watershed management, including addressing watershed challenges

- Watershed Plan Builder
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The Watershed Wiki

- Viewable to the public
- Individuals must register to create or make additions/changes to the wiki
- Uses existing wiki system/architecture developed by USEPA and approved by Office of Management and Budget
- Share tools, case studies, datasets, and any other watershed related resource you have found invaluable.

Examples of the Wiki in Use

Lake Michigan Management Plan (LaMP)

- USEPA - Great Lakes National Program Office

Illinois Lake Michigan Implementation Plan (ILMIP)

- Illinois Department of Natural Resources – Coastal Zone Program

How Big is the LaMP?

Original LaMP | 2002 Update | 2004 Status Report | 2006 Report | 2008 Report

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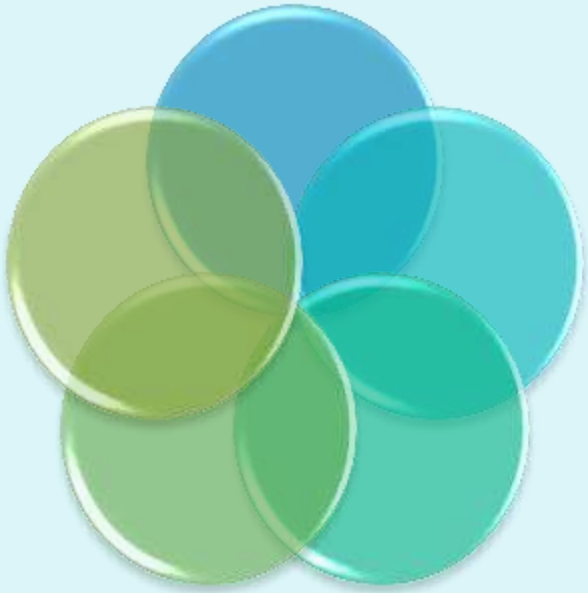

Lake Michigan LaMP Watersheds

Below is a listing of the 8-digit watersheds that surroung Lake Michigan. More information on each of these subwatersheds can befound by clicking on the subwatershed name.

More information on Lake Michigan subwatershed goals can be found in Chapter 12 of the 2008 LaMP.

Watershed Name'	HUC'
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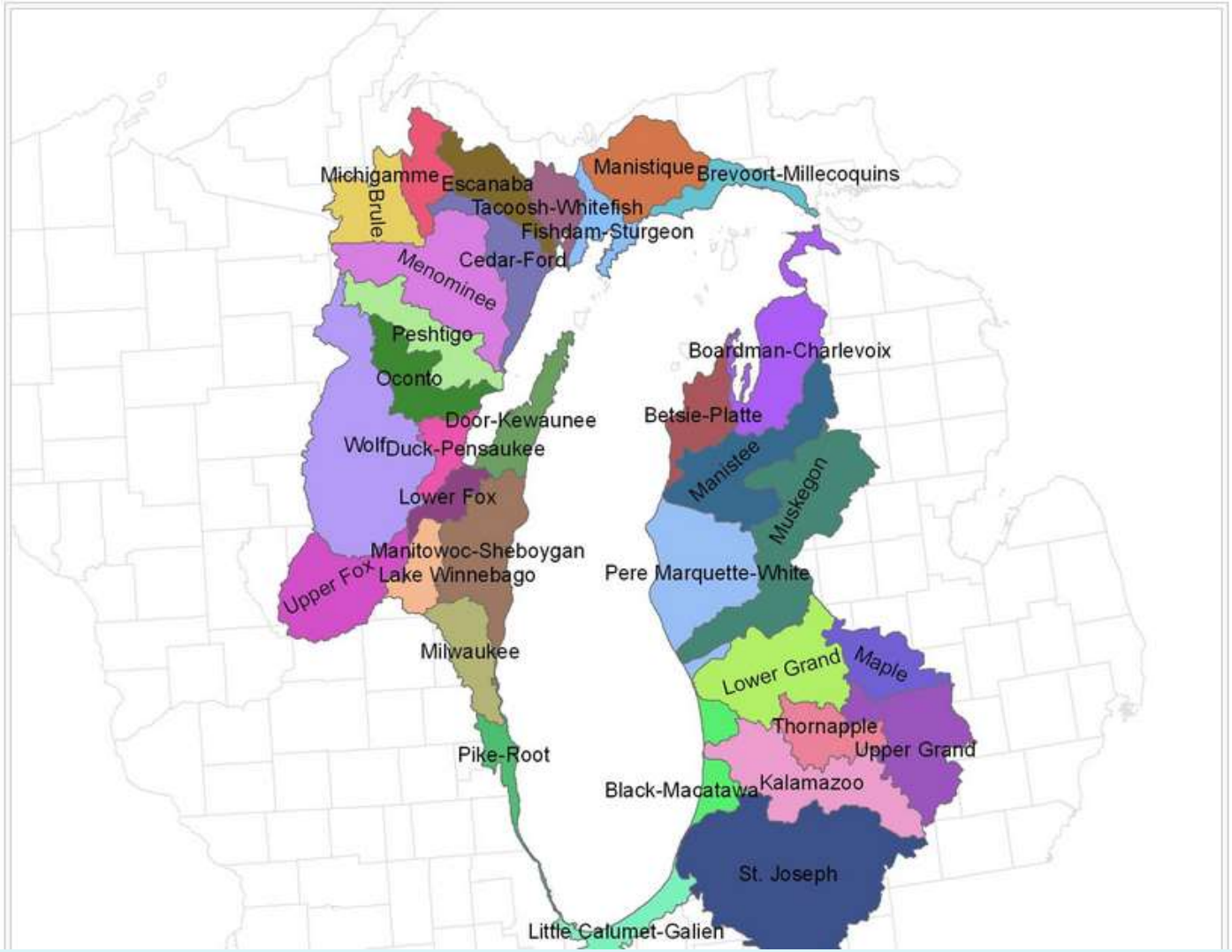

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- ILMIP Partners
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Illinois Lake Michigan Watersheds

- Little Calumet-Galien Watershed
  - Calumet River-Frontal Lake Michigan
- Pike-Root Watershed
  - Waukegan River-Frontal Lake Michigan
  - Diversey Harbor-Frontal Lake Michigan
  - Oakwoods Cemetery-Frontal Lake Michigan
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  - Upper North Branch (Middle Fork) Chicago River
  - West Fork North Branch Chicago River
  - Middle North Branch Chicago River
  - North Shore Channel
  - Lower Branch Chicago River
  - South Branch Chicago River

Illinois Lake Michigan Priority Issues

- Invasive Species
- Habitat, Ecosystems and Natural Area Restoration
- Priority Rivers, Lakes, and Harbors
- Waukegan Harbor Area of Concern
- Persistent Bio-accumulative Toxins
- Sustainable Development
- Non-Point Source Pollution
- Information and Indicators
- Public Access and Recreation
- Economic Development
- Climate Change

Lake Michigan Lakewide Management Plan

Locate Watershed by Municipality or Zip Code

Funding Opportunities

A collaborative community putting their heads together to reach impairment removal, then determine long-term goals after removal.

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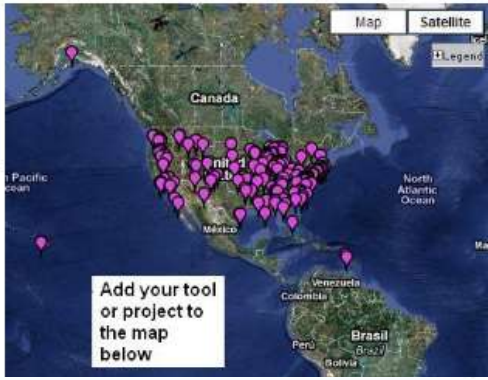

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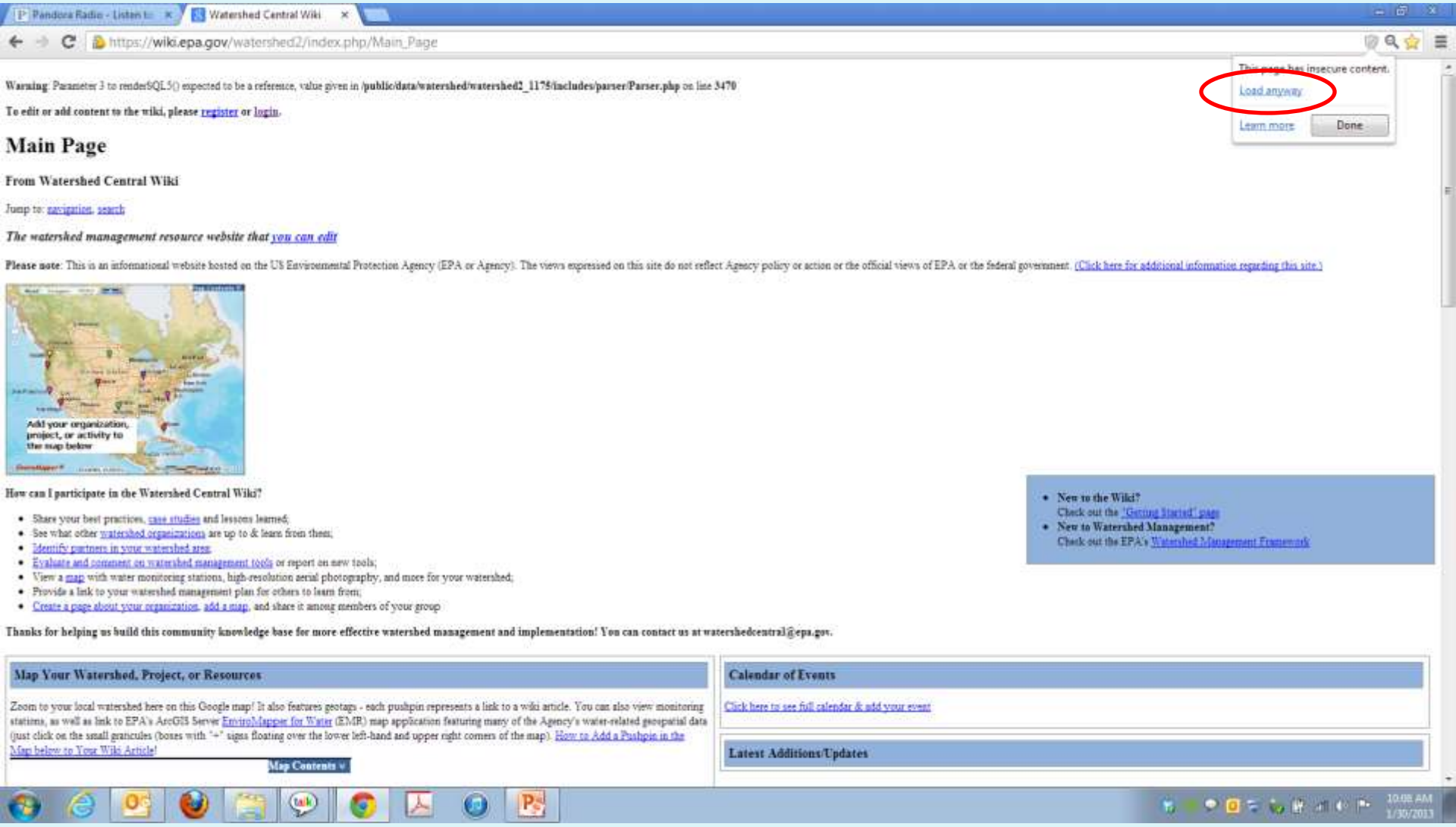

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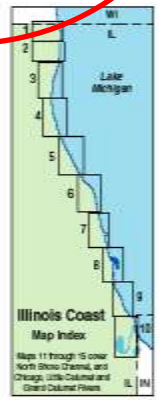

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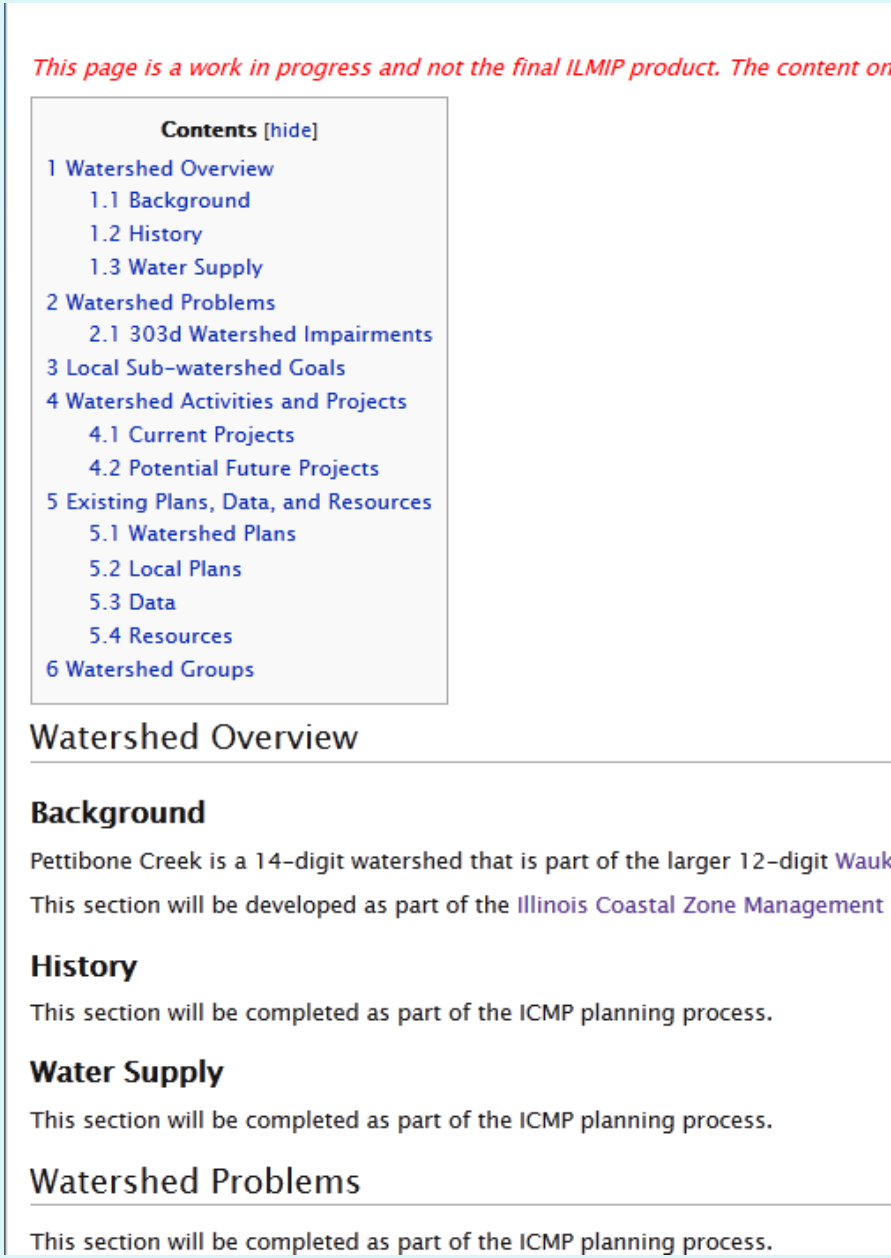

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Pettibone Creek is a 14-digit watershed that is part of the larger 12-digit Wauk

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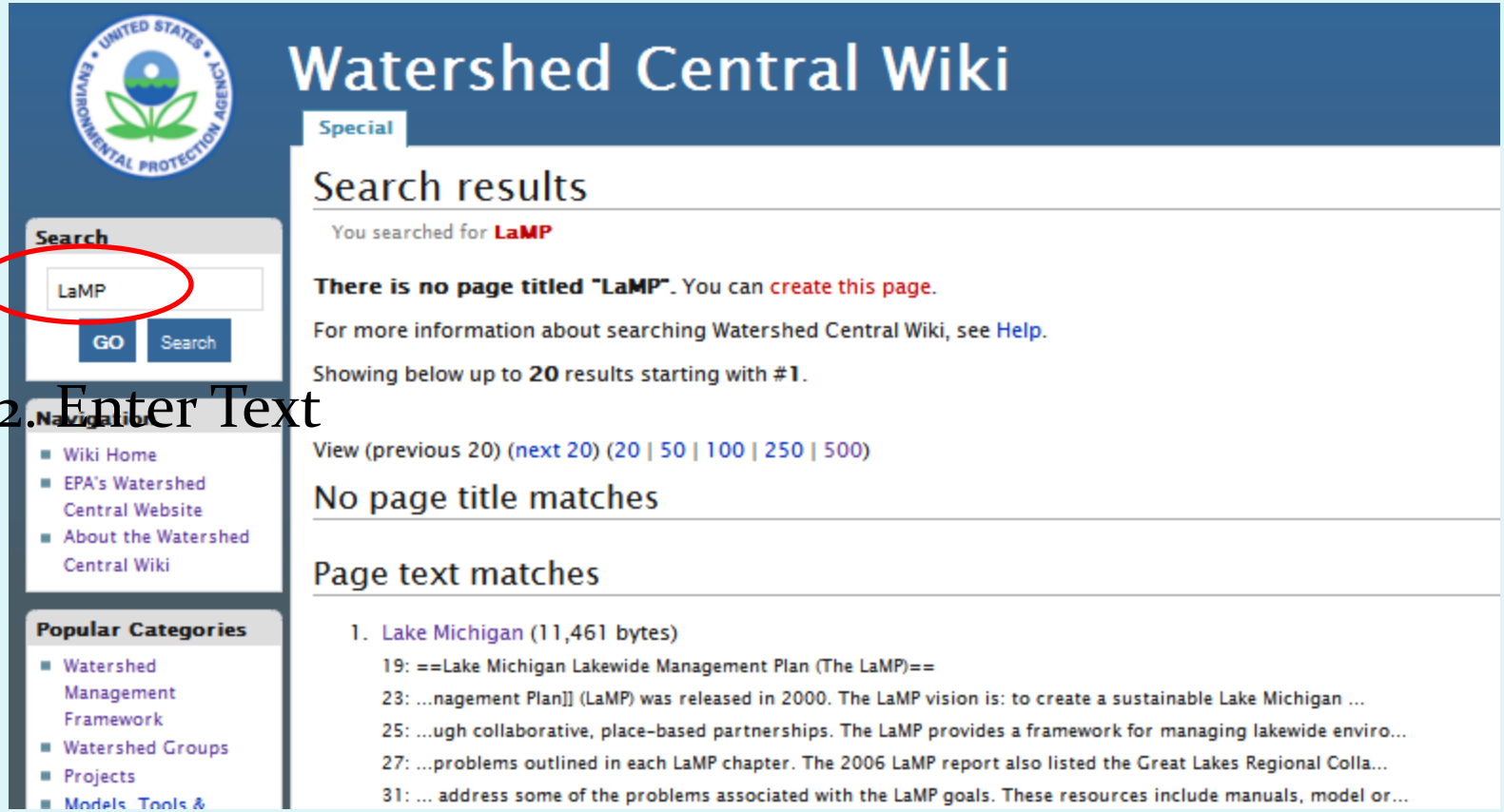

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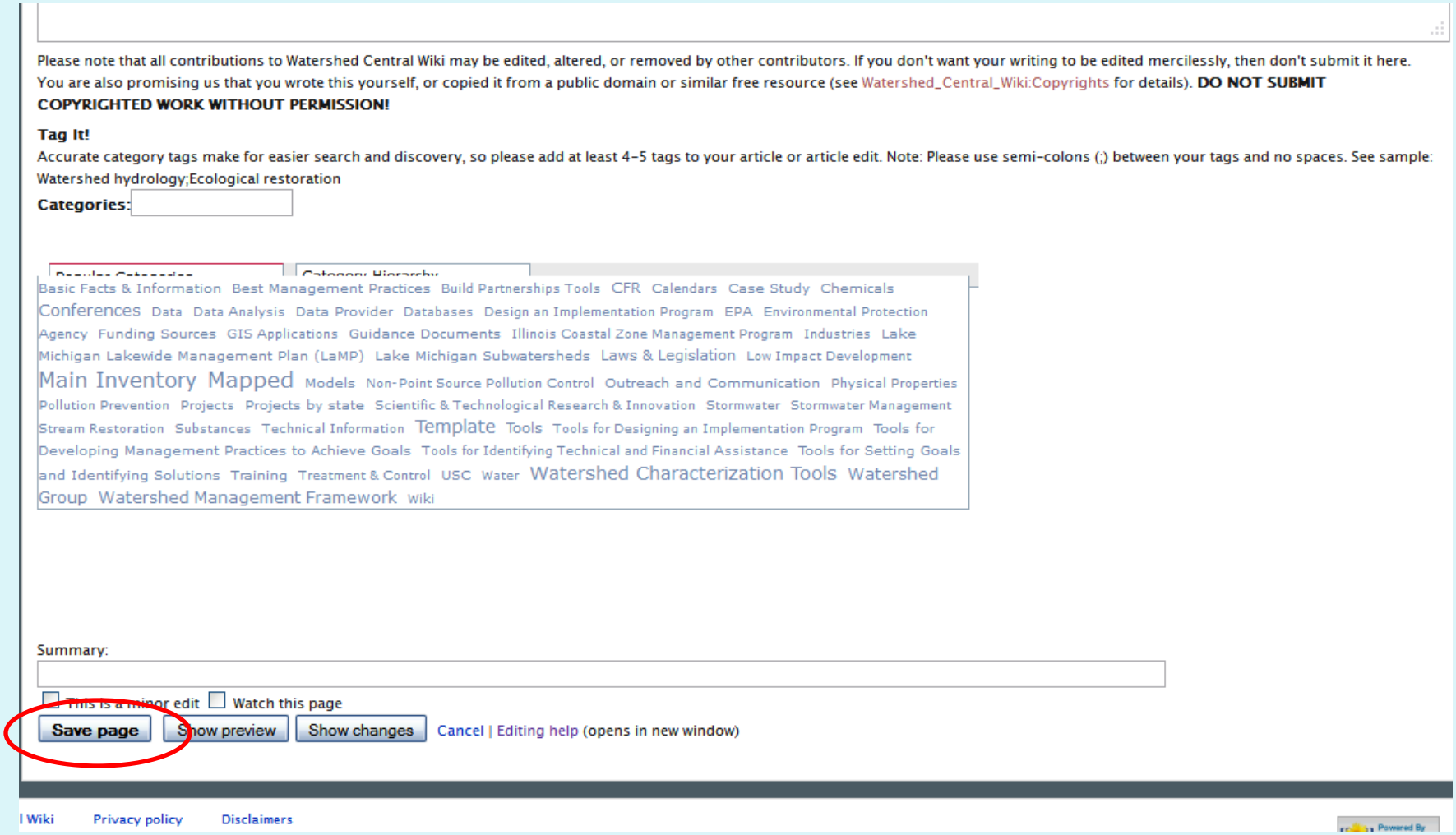

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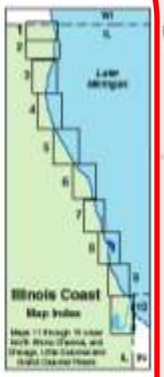

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The environmental legacy of industrial sites and the needs and demands of a growing and vibrant urban community create a complex set of issues to balance as ecosystem restoration strategies are developed and meet the increasing demands for open space, recreation, and public access.

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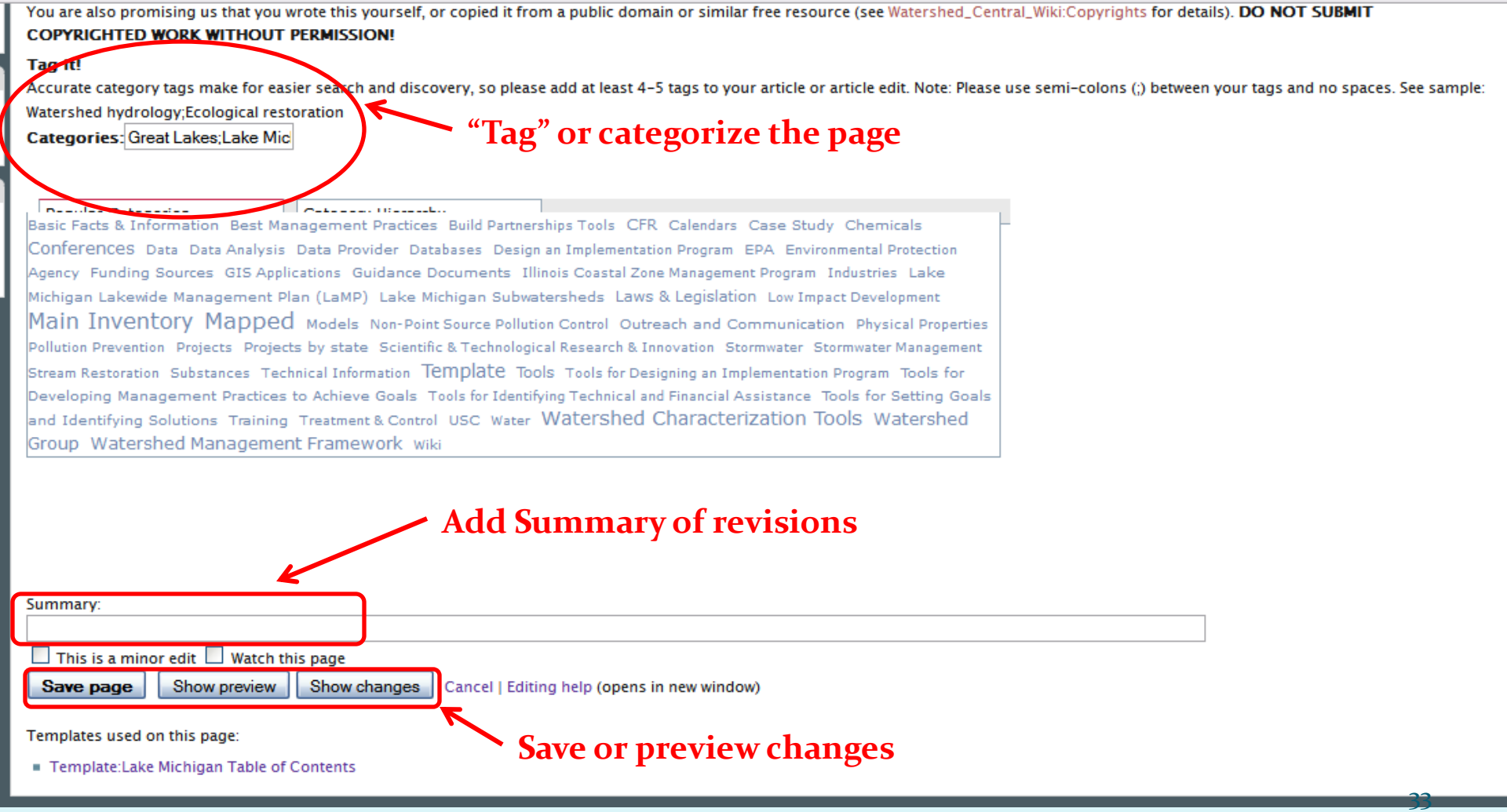

- Objective 4 Protect and preserve habitat

Reduce Flooding Objectives

- Objective 1 Obtain hydrologic and hydraulic floodplain study and maps of stream system.
- Objective 2 Remove or modify structures subject to flood damage

More information on the objectives are found in the Action Plan section of the watershed plan.

Current Projects

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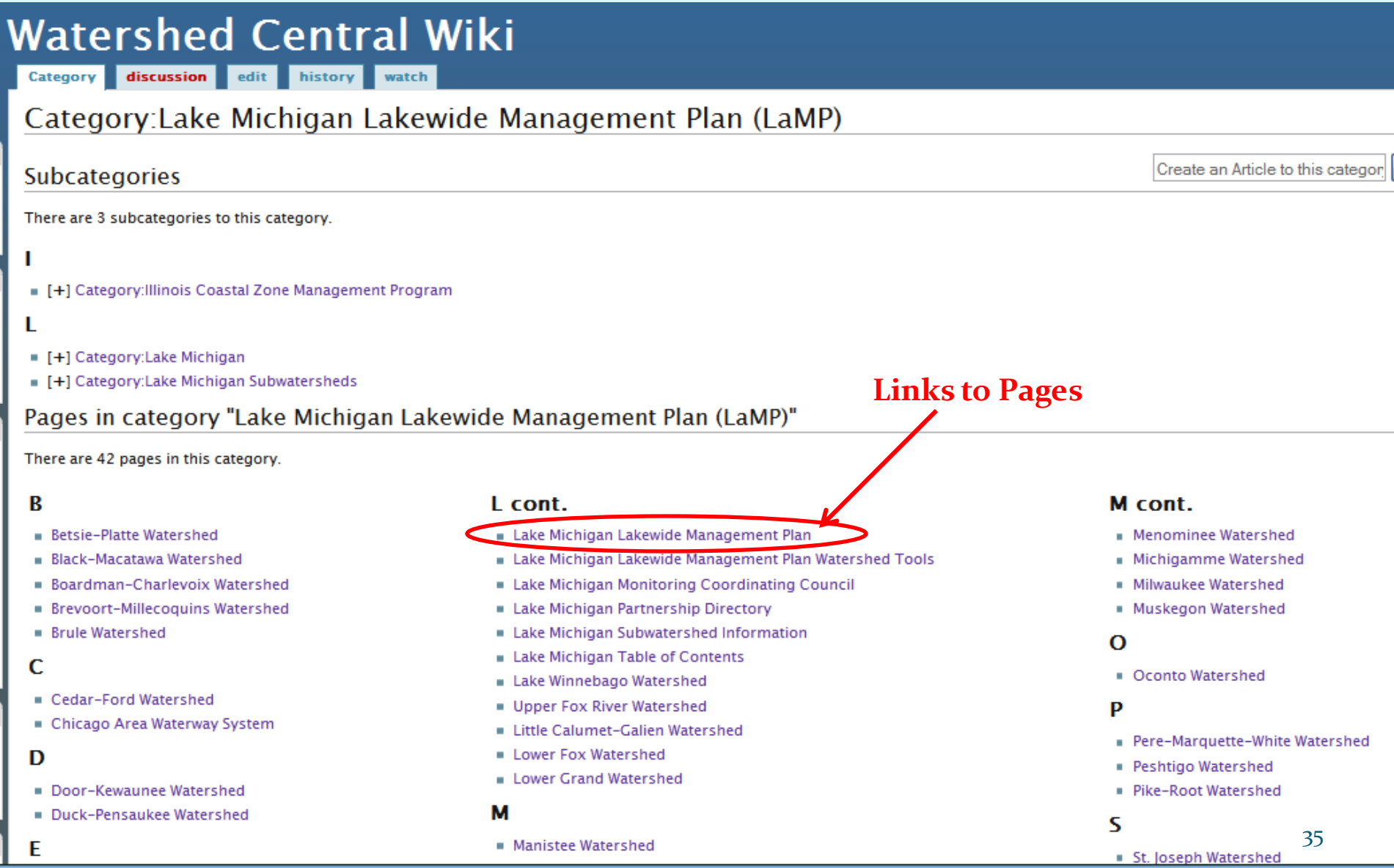

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Lakewide Management Plan

Lake Michigan LaMP[1]

Lakewide Management Plans (LaMPs) stem from the 1987 amendments to the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement, originally signed by the United States and Canada in 1972. This historic agreement committed both countries "to restore and maintain the chemical, physical and biological integrity of the waters of the Great Lakes basin ecosystem." To meet this commitment, the two governments agreed to develop and implement LaMPs for open lake waters and Remedial Action Plans (RAPs) for specific geographic Areas of Concern. The LaMPs for lakes Erie, Michigan, Ontario and Superior have been developed with guidance from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and Environment Canada. Through an iterative approach, these documents will be updated and re-released every two years to incorporate new data and public input.

The Lake Michigan Lakewide Management Plan (LaMP) was released in 2000. The LaMP vision is: to create a sustainable Lake Michigan ecosystem that ensures environmental integrity and that supports and is supported by economically viable, healthy human communities.

The LaMP goal is: To restore and protect the integrity of the Lake Michigan ecosystem through collaborative, place-based partnerships. The LaMP provides a framework for managing lakewide environmental resources and provides information and tools for building toward a sustainable lakewide ecosystem.

The LaMP is a product of cooperation among the USEPA, state and other federal agencies and local governments and watershed groups. It works closely with the Lake Michigan Monitoring Coordinating Council to ensure that the data neeiding collection is available to help better understand the environmental health of Lake Michigan and its watershed.

The LaMP was updated in 2002, 2004, 2006, and 2008. The Lake Michigan LaMP uses an adaptive management approach with the goal of making it more a more useful resource. In the 2002 update report, it developed a matrix that provided a quick overview to needs in the Lake Michigan Areas of Concern (AOCs) so that there is a better understanding of what is needed to

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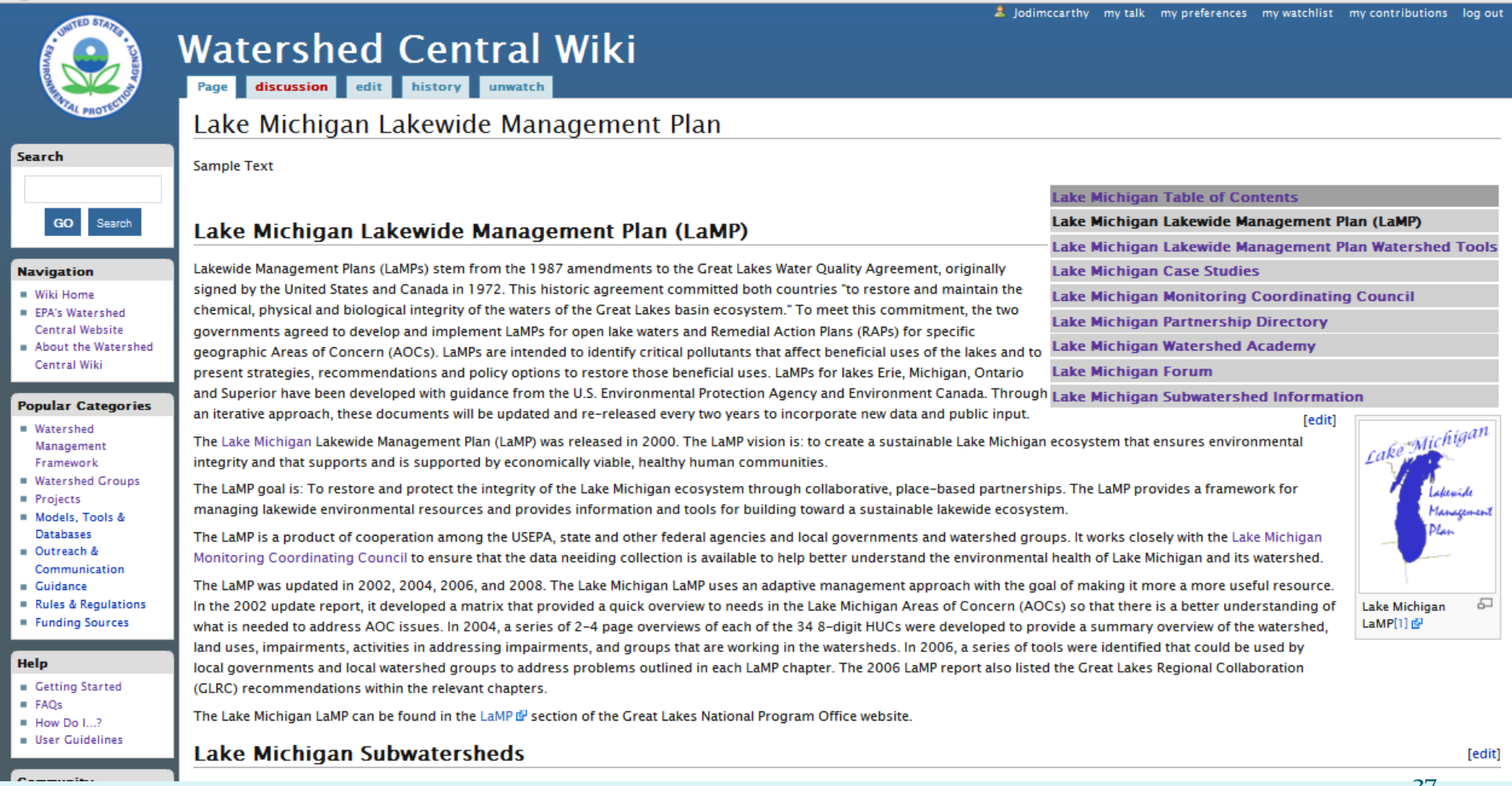
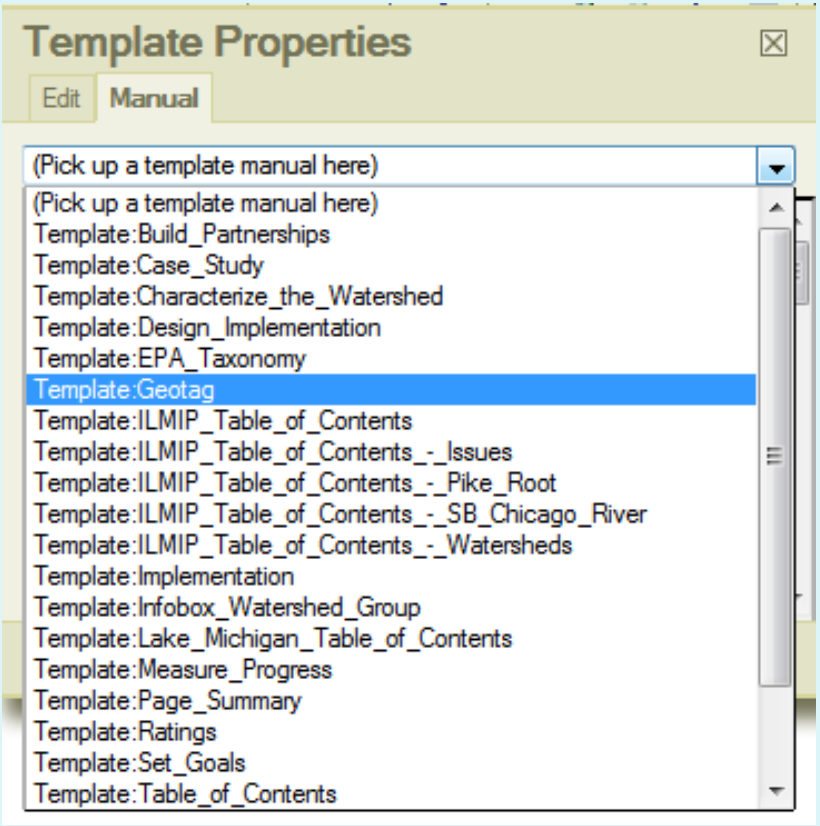


Formatting Bar

- Works just like Microsoft Word and Excel
  - Shortcut keys Ctrl+Z, Ctrl+V and Ctrl+C work
- Click "Wikitext" and text turns to code
  - Clicking "Disable rich editor" does same
  - Do not click twice, will lose all material in window

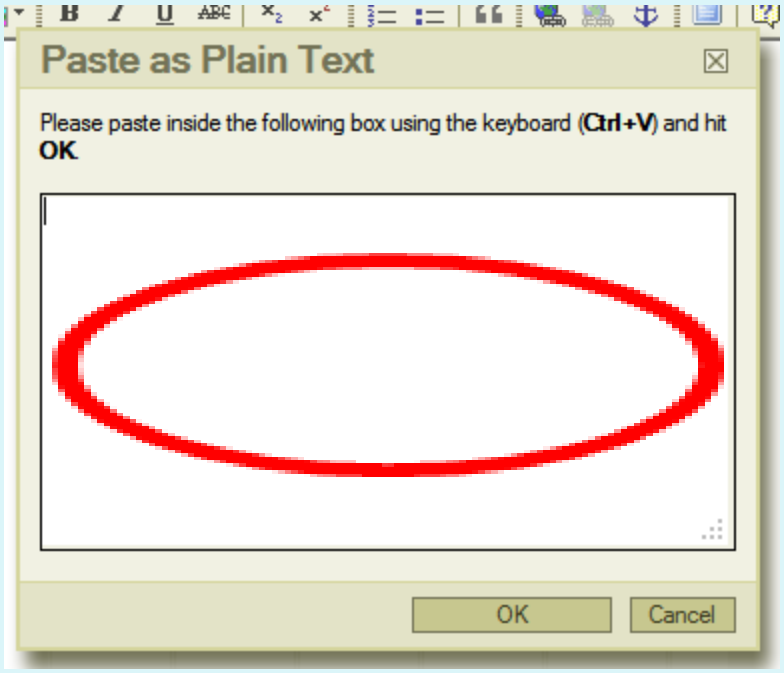
Adding Table of Contents

- At top of page, click “T” icon
  - Select “ILMIP Table of Contents” from the pulldown list
  - Hit “OK” and save page



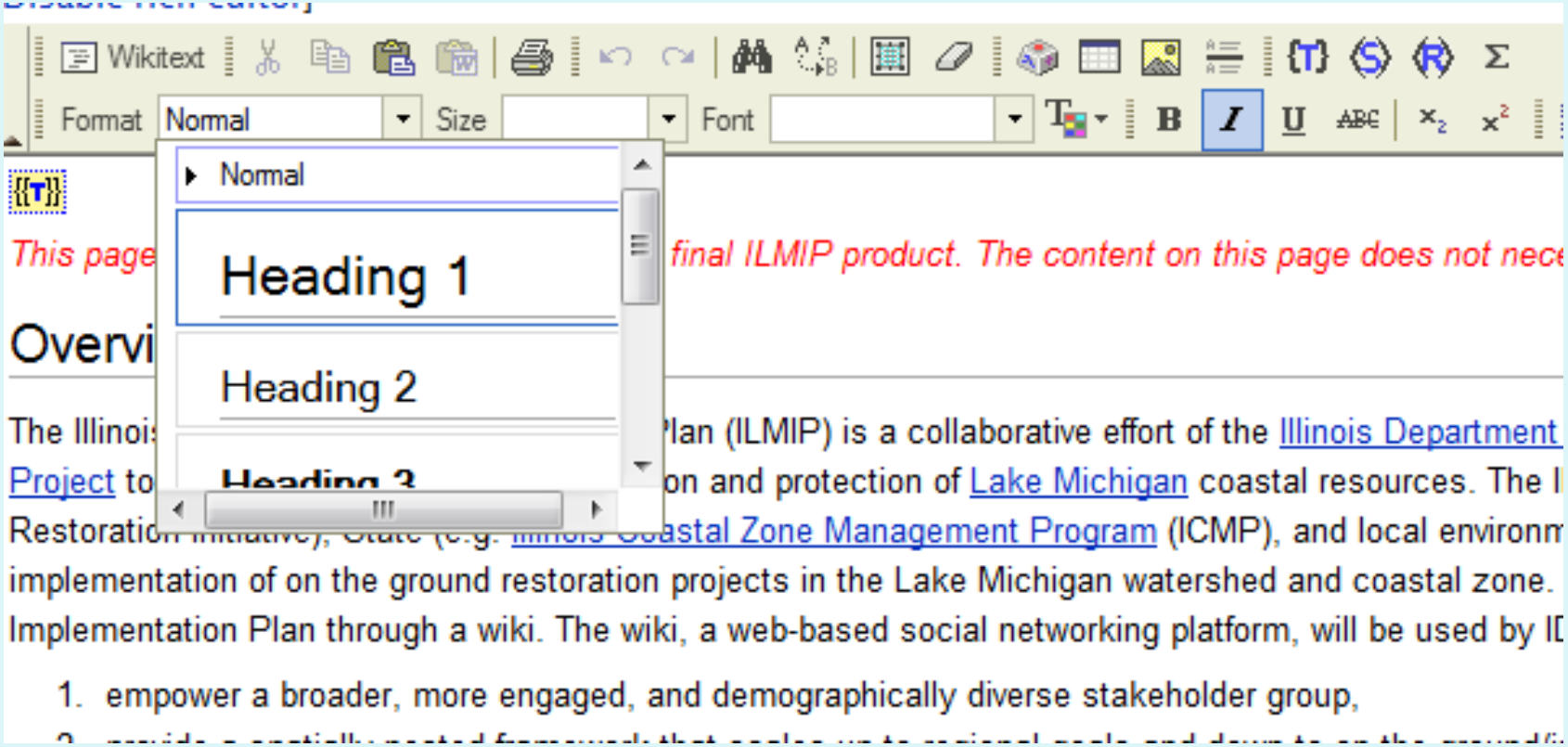
Copy and Paste Text

- In empty edit window, either click paste button, right click and select paste, or Ctrl+V
- In pop up window, right click and select paste (or Ctrl+V) to paste in window. Click “OK”



Modifying Text

- Highlight text and format heading type, text size, font, color, etc



Headings

- If you have 4 headings, a Table of Contents automatically appears

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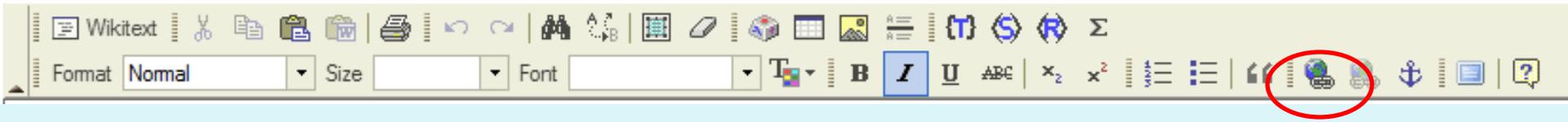
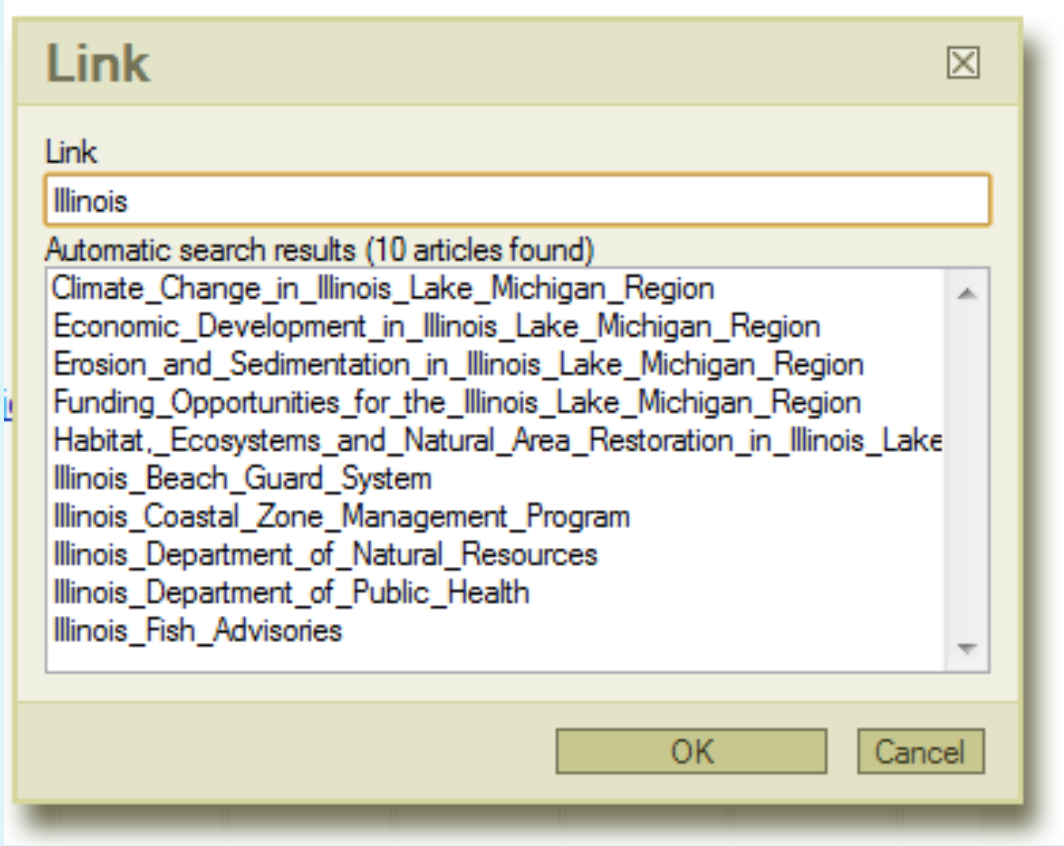


- Highlight text, click globe button
- External Links
  - Must have http:// prior to address
  - Always test links to ensure they are connected to correct web page

Adding Links

- Internal Wiki Links
  - As you type, list of existing pages comes up



Adding Links

- Text Color
  - Blue = links to an internal wiki or external page
  - Red = links to an internal wiki page that does not exist

Adding Pictures

- Two step process
  - Upload picture to wiki
  - Place the image on your page.
- General Guidelines
  - Try to keep image under 150 KB for page loading purposes
  - Can be standard picture file (.jpg, .gif, etc)
  - Once picture is uploaded, you can put it on multiple pages

Adding Pictures – Option 1

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Watershed Central Wiki

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To edit or add content to the wiki, please register or login.

Main Page

The watershed management resource website that you can edit

Please note: This is an informational website hosted on the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA or Agency). The views expressed on this site do not reflect Agency policy or action or the official views of EPA or the federal government. (Click here for additional information regarding this site.)

How can I participate in the Watershed Central Wiki?

- Share your best practices, case studies and lessons learned;
- See what other watershed organizations are up to & learn from them;
- Identify partners in your watershed area;
- Evaluate and comment on watershed management tools or report on new tools;
- View a map with water monitoring stations, high-resolution aerial photography, and more for your watershed;
- Provide a link to your watershed management plan for others to learn from;
- Create a page about your organization, add a map, and share it among members of your group

Thanks for helping us build this community knowledge base for more effective watershed management and implementation! You can contact us at watershedcentral@epa.gov.

- **New to the Wiki?** Check out the "Getting Started" page
- **New to Watershed Management?** Check out the EPA's Watershed Management Framework

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Click "Upload File" under Toolbox Menu

Map Your Watershed, Project, or Resources

Zoom to your local watershed here on this Google map! It also features geotags – each pushpin represents a link to a wiki article. You can also view monitoring stations, as well as link to EPA's ArcGIS Server EnviroMapper for Water (EMR) map application featuring many of the Agency's water-related geospatial data (just click on the small graticules (boxes with "+" signs floating over the lower left-hand and upper right corners of the map). How to Add a Pushpin in the Map Below to Your Wiki Article!

Calendar of Events

Click here to see full calendar & add your event

Latest Additions/Updates

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Lake Michigan Partnership Directory	11/9/2011
Quality Management Plans	11/7/2011
Mobile Baykeeper	11/4/2011
Upper Fox River Watershed	11/3/2011
Project WET (Water Education for Teachers)	11/1/2011
Brule Watershed	10/31/2011
Brevoort-Millecoquins Watershed	10/31/2011
Geospatial Toolbox	10/28/2011
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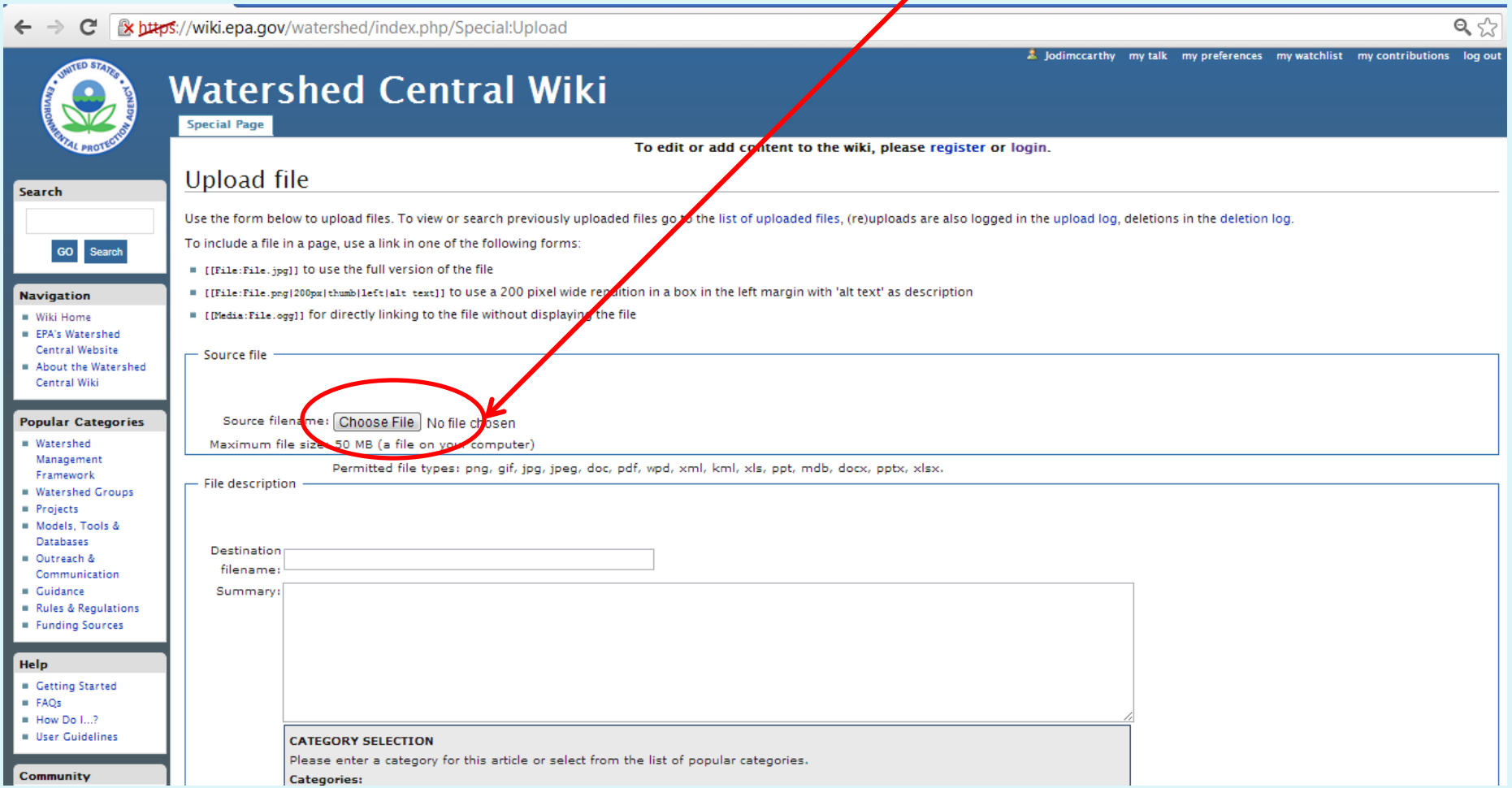
Click "Choose File" and upload image



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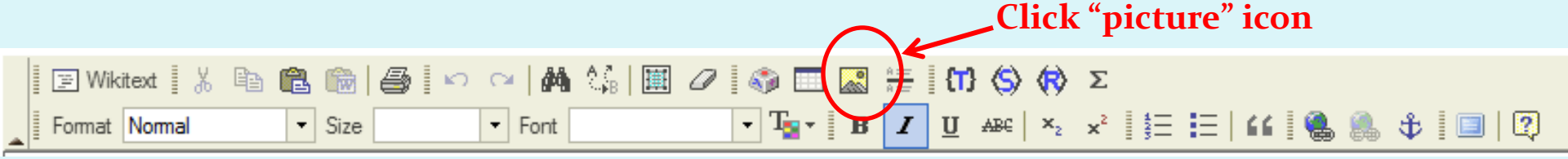
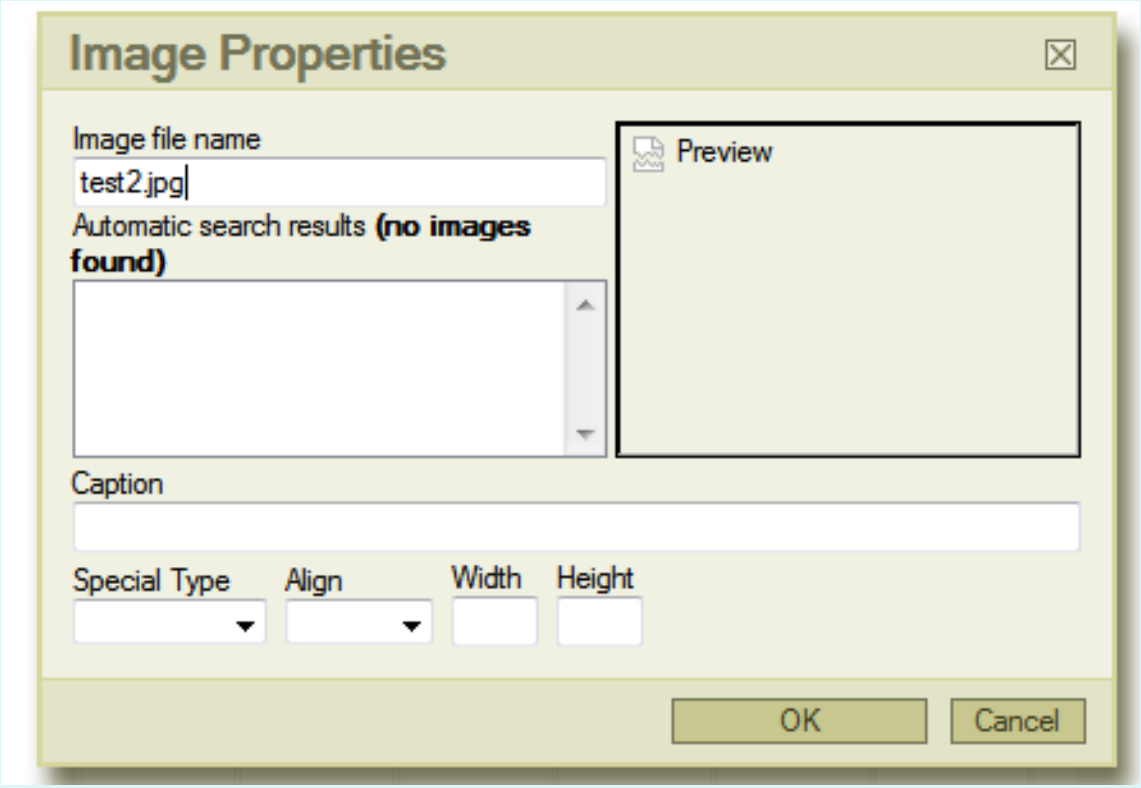


Go back to page. Click “picture” icon and select your new picture. Click “Save Page” button



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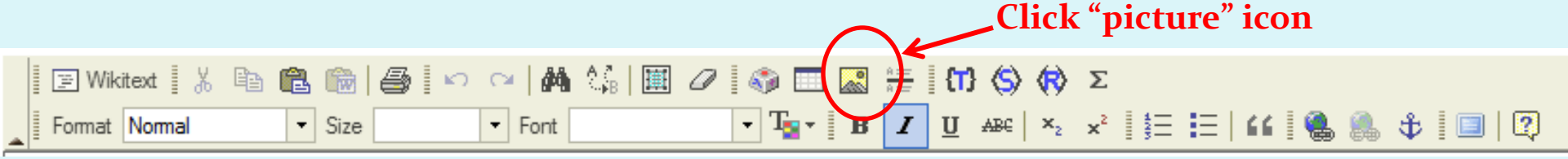

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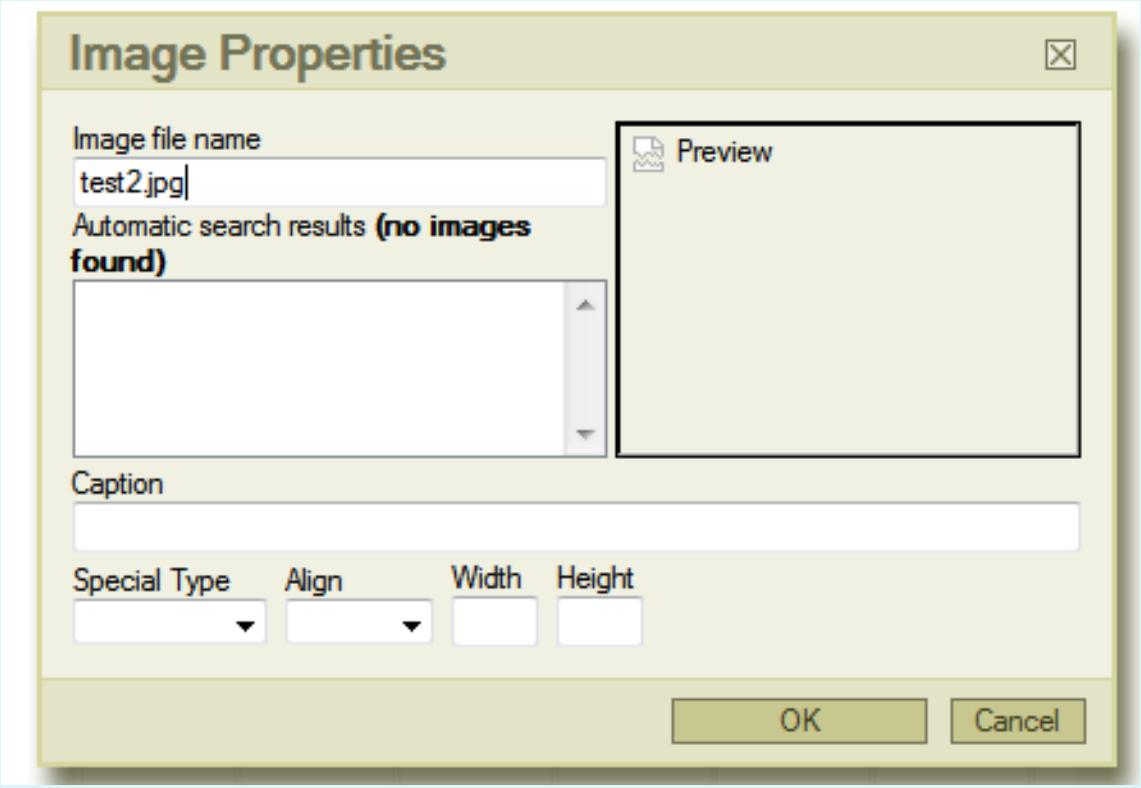

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Click on new image name

Click image name in red

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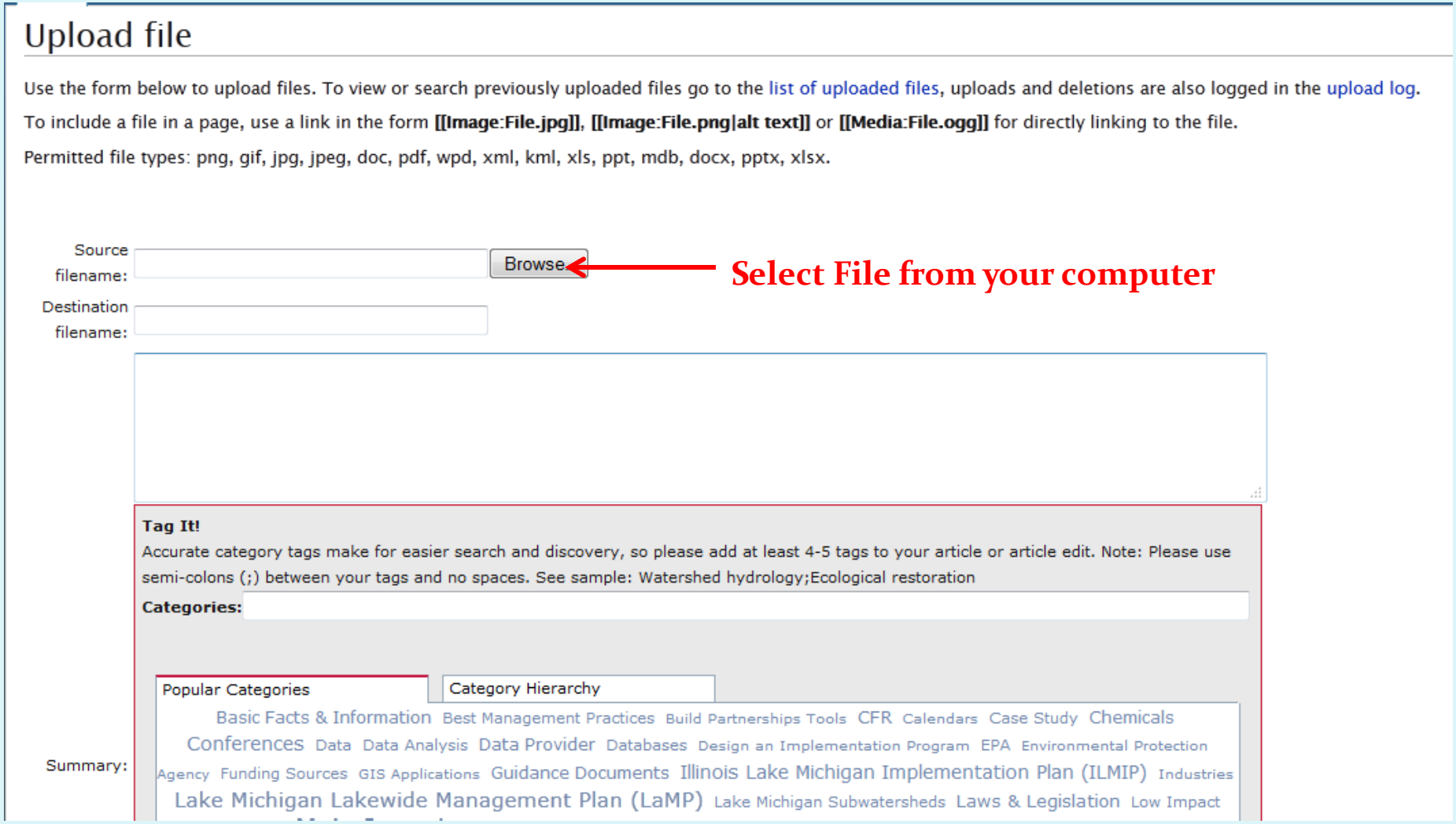
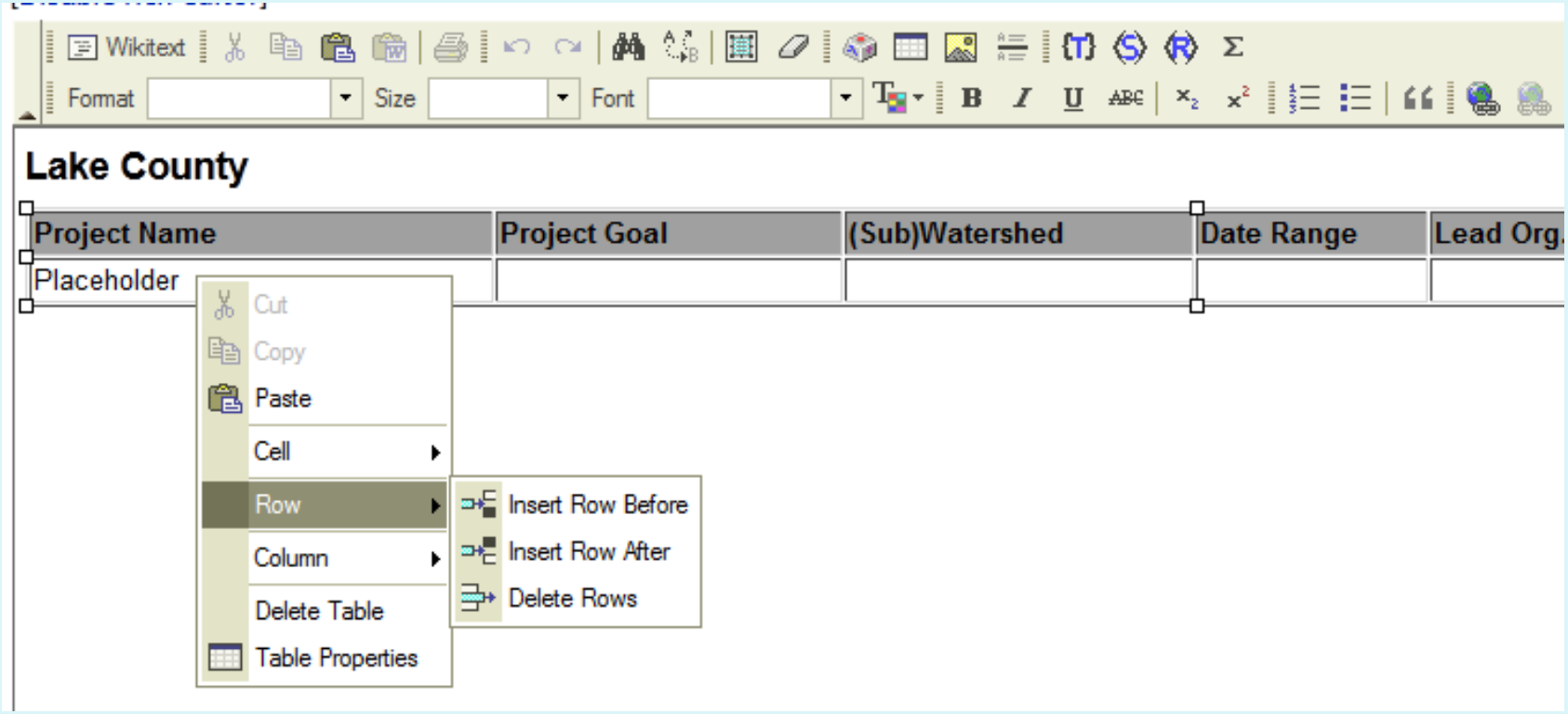
Upload the file and click "Save" button



Adding Info to Charts

Works just like Excel

- Right click to get editing options
- You can just type text into the existing spaces



Advanced Editing

- "Toolbox"
  - Advanced editing and tracking
- Copy from other wiki pages
  - Go to "edit" mode to see how the programming text

References

- **DO NOT SUBMIT COPYRIGHTED WORK WITHOUT PERMISSION!**
- Need to source material through statements, links, or addition to reference section
  - In same manner as Wikipedia (we will add reference section on bottom of pages)
  - http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Citing_sources

“Watch” Tab

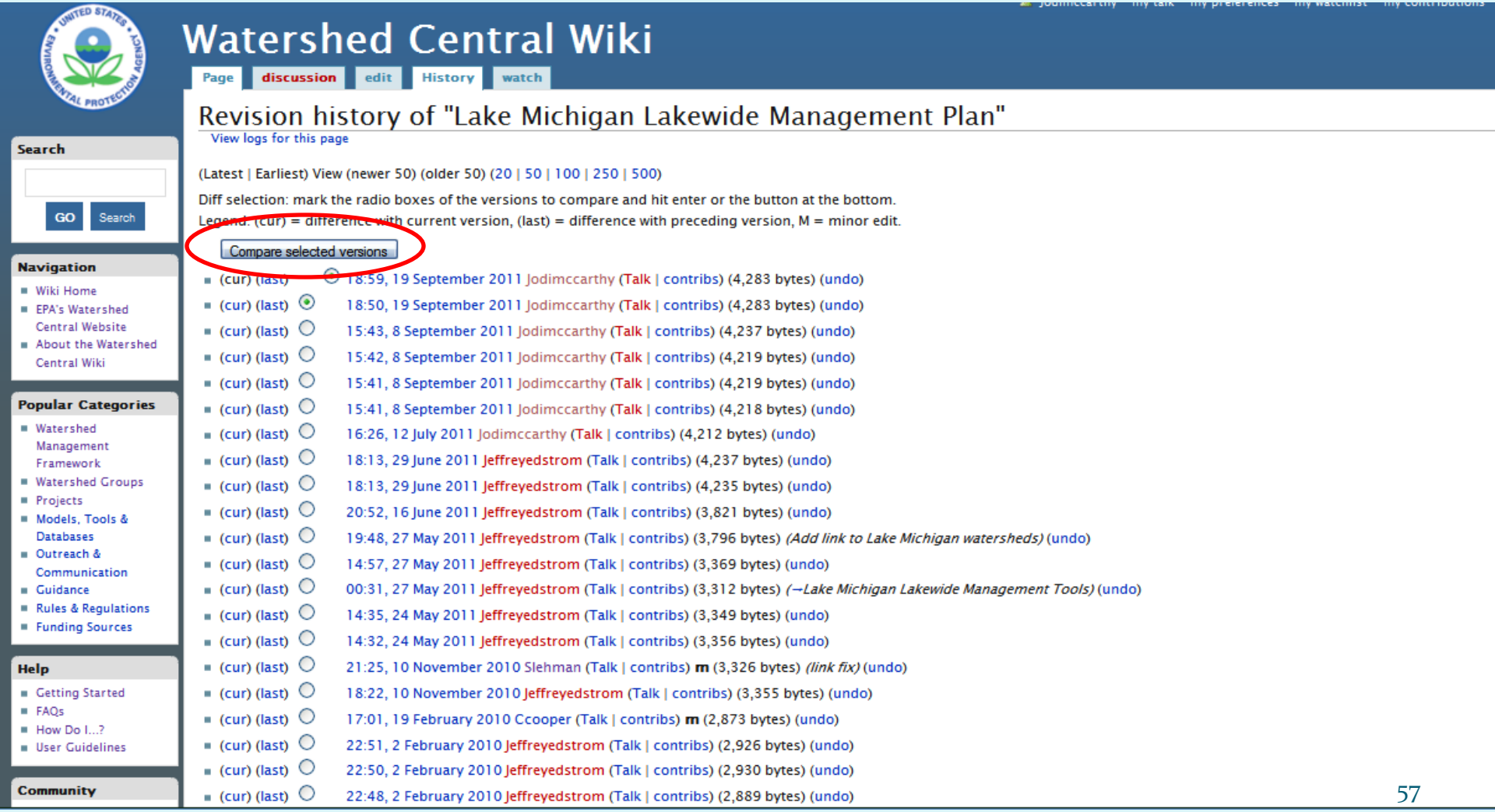
Are notified when there are changes to page

1. Click “Watch” Tab

2. You are now watching page

"History" Tab

Can see revision date and editor



Helpful Tips

- Don't ever click the "wikitext" button twice, it will erase the content on your page
- In general the user bar in the edit window works just like Microsoft Word, but you cannot use the "tab" key to indent. You must use wikitext (shown below) or manually put in spaces before the text to indent.

And now you're ready to create and edit wiki pages